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TO AMEMBASSY MONROVIA

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GENEVA FOR AMBASSADOR CARTER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID

SUBJECT: SPECIAL SELF-HELP PROGRAM

REF: SEGALL-HORAN LETTER OF 8/11/76

1. AS RECOMMENDED BY INSPECTORS, AMB. CARTER AND AF/W, DEPT. HAS MADE TENTATIVE PLANS TO ALLOCATE DOLS. 10,000 IN SPECIAL SELF-HELP (SSH) FUNDS TO EMBASSY MONROVIA FOR USE IN FY 77 TO FINANCE EXTREMELY WORTHY PROJECTS WITH HIGH PUBLIC IMPACT.

2. SINCE 1970, THIS SSH PROGRAM HAS BEEN USED TO PROVIDE SMALL AMOUNTS OF USG ASSISTANCE ONLY TO POOR AF COUNTRIES WITHOUT LARGE BILATERAL AID PROGRAMS, AND LIBERIA HAS NOT BEEN ELIGIBLE. THIS DISTRIBUTION RATIONALE HAS BEEN SOMEWHAT BROADENED IN RECENT YEARS PARTICULARLY IN WAKE OF SAHEL DROUGHT. AS CONSEQUENCE, DEPT. NOW PREPARED TO

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ALLOCATE VERY SMALL AMOUNT OF SSH FUNDS TO EMBASSY MONROVIA

-- AT MOST DOLS. 10,000 PER FISCAL YEAR -- AND AUTHORIZ-  
ING CABLE WILL BE SENT WHEN FY 77 FUNDS BECOME AVAILABLE.

3. AS EMPHASIZED IN AID MANUAL ORDER 1321.1.2., SSH FUNDS  
ARE TO BE KEPT SEPARATE FROM REGULAR AID PROGRAMS. SECTION  
III OF M.O. STATES "SELECTION, DOCUMENTATION, REPORTING

AND ACCOUNTING OF SELF-HELP ACTIVITIES MUST BE CONDUCTED  
BY REGULAR EMBASSY STAFF SINCE SELF-HELP OR OTHER AID  
FUNDS MAY NOT BE USED TO FINANCE ANY ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS  
OR OVERHEAD OF THESE ACTIVITIES." AF'S AID LIAISON  
OFFICER SEGALL IS AIR POUCHING A COPY OF AID'S MANUAL  
ORDER ON THE USE OF SSH FUNDS TO DCM HORAN. DESCRIPTIVE  
REPORT ON TYPE OF PROJECTS THESE FUNDS HAVE FINANCED IN  
AF COUNTRIES OVER PAST SEVERAL YEARS IS ALSO BEING SENT.  
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